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1. United States Patent No. 6,599,912 B1 by Au et al., entitled "Methods and compositions for modulating cell proliferation and cell death," dated July 29, 2003.
2. PCT publication WO 2003/026574 A3 by Au et al., entitled "Methods and compositions to determine the chemosensitizing dose of suramin used in combination therapy," dated April 3, 2003.
3. EDWARDS, A., et al., "Surface area nomogram for a cytotoxic drug regimen: computerized model." Pharm. J. (England) 225: 674-675 (December 13, 1980).
4. SONG, S., et al., "Nontoxic doses of suramin enhance activity of paclitaxel against lung metastases." Can. Res. 61(16): 6145-6150 (August 15, 2001).
5. TU, S., et al., "Phase I study of suramin combined with doxorubicin in the treatment of androgen-independent prostate cancer." Clin. Can. Res. 5(5): 1193-1201 (May 4, 1998).

It respectfully is submitted that none of the foregoing art, alone or in combination, shows or proposes the present invention. Accordingly, favorable action on the application respectfully is requested.

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